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EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

GEORGE CAMERON AND JANIN
CAMERON, Country Mutual Insurance
Company claimants, and all others
similarly situated throughout
Washington State and the United States
of America

Plaintiffs,

v.

COUNTRY MUTUAL INSURANCE
COMPANY, an insurance company;
COUNTRY FINANCIAL, an insurance
conglomerate; COUNTRY CASUALTY
INSURANCE COMPANY, an
insurance company; COUNTRY
PREFERRED INSURANCE
COMPANY, an insurance company;
COUNTRY INVESTOR LIFE
ASSURANCE COMPANY, an
insurance company; and COUNTRY
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, an
insurance company,

Defendants.

No. 1:24-CV-03075-MKD

ORDER STRIKING MOTIONS TO
DISMISS AND PLAINTIFFS'
RESPONSE

ECF Nos. 8, 11, 17

1 Before the Court are (1) Defendant Country Mutual Insurance Company's
2 Motion to Dismiss and Motion to Strike Plaintiffs' Class Allegations ECF No. 8;
3 (2) Defendants Country Casualty Insurance Company, Country Preferred Insurance
4 Company, Country Investors Life Assurance Company, and Country Life
5 Insurance Company's Joint Motion to Dismiss, ECF No. 11, and (3) Plaintiffs'
6 Response to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss and Motion to Strike, ECF No. 17.

7 In relevant part, Local Civil Rule (LCivR) 10(d) provides as follows:

8 All pleadings must be prepared in the equivalent of either
9 a proportionately spaced typeface of 14 points or more or
10 a monospaced typeface of no more than 10.5 characters
11 per inch Text and footnotes must be double spaced.

12 All three of the above-listed filings use proportionately spaced typeface that is less
13 than 14 points, and the text appears to be less than double-spaced, in violation of
14 LCivR 10(d).

15 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

16 1. The Court **STRIKES** the following filings:

17 a. Defendant Country Mutual Insurance Company's Motion to
18 Dismiss and Motion to Strike Plaintiffs' Class Allegations **ECF**
19 **No. 8;**

20 b. Defendants Country Casualty Insurance Company, Country
Preferred Insurance Company, Country Investors Life Assurance

Company, and Country Life Insurance Company's Joint Motion to Dismiss, **ECF No. 11**; and

c. Plaintiffs' Response to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss and Motion to Strike, **ECF No. 17**.

2. Defendants may refile their respective motions in a format that complies with the Local Rules **by no later than August 26, 2024**.

a. Plaintiffs shall refile their response in a format that complies with the Local Rules **by no later than September 3, 2024**.

b. Further briefing, including Plaintiffs' response brief to ECF No. 11 and Defendants' reply briefs, shall be filed in accordance with the deadlines set by LCivR 7(b)-(d).

IT IS SO ORDERED. The District Court Executive is directed to file this order and provide copies to counsel.

DATED August 20, 2024.

s/Mary K. Dimke
MARY K. DIMKE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE